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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Initial application of:  
NAGY ET AL

Serial No.: 08/872,659

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For: TRANSITION METAL CATALYSTS  
CONTAINING BIDENTATE LIGANDS  
AND METHOD OF USING AND  
PREPARING SAME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

In the subject application, it is requested that the shortened period for response to the Official Action dated August 21, 1998 be extended three months until February 21, 1999.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 01-2230 for the required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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